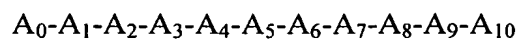


Abstract

Peptides having the formula:



wherein A_0 is selected from hydrogen or an acyl group; A_{10} is a hydroxyl group or an amino acid amide; and A_1 , A_2 , A_3 , A_4 , A_5 , A_6 , A_7 , A_8 , and A_9 are amino acyl residues as defined herein.